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11. (U) EconOff delivered reftel demarche points to Otavio Brandelli, Chief of the Division of Intellectual Property Rights at the Ministry of External Relation,s on September 17. Brandelli said that the GoB feels it should adopt a "low profile" on the issue to avoid alienating the African Group or the USG. He added that, if the GoB called for the resignation of Idris, this could be misinterpreted by other developing countries, particularly in Africa.

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